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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS OF THE TOWN AND DISTRICT

J. F. Gorrell, principal of the local schools, is confined to bed through illness.

The Indians are talking about staging a stampede this year. That is not a bad idea. They should stage one every year since they have the stock to do it with.

Robt. Black and John Umbricht returned home from the university at Edmonton Saturday evening after the past year. Incidentally this is their first year at the university.

For the first time since the beginning of this year the stores remained open Saturday night. They will continue to open Saturday nights till the end of the year.

The Boys Band gave their first street concert of the season Saturday evening. Here's hoping that they keep up these Saturday evening concerts all summer as it helps to enliven the town.

Jack Lester town engineer and W. B. Snively, owner of the books on the streets and thought they were a disgrace after the recent rains and subsequent traffic. So bright and early Monday morning they set to work with a drag and in a few hours had the streets looking fine to the delight of motorists.

Prosperity Avenue was a dangerous street for trucks unless empty or loaded. Two trucks on two successive days and on opposite sides of the street sank to the hubs on what looked as perfectly solid road way. Teams or trucks and advice of unlookers sounded released the mixed mass.

Friday evening a surprise party in honor of Mrs. MacCallum was given at the home of his parents when a number of young folks attended. The evening was spent in dancing and at an appropriate time he was presented with a watch by his friends who belong to the Canadian Air Force at St. Thomas and had been home on a few days leave. Sunday evening when he left for the east a large number of friends were at the station to see him off.

Shipments of Canadian bacon to Great Britain will not be increased to meet requirements of the Danish market, according to an announcement by the Canadian bacon board. The reasons for this are said to be the excessive amounts of bacon in storage in Canada, the great production in Britain and the difficulties of shipping, and the probable restoration of rationing so as to restrict consumption of imported goods.

Under the authority of the Trade and Industry Act, the Alberta Price Spread Board holds power to fix maximum prices in the provinces. It has pointed out that the week this was made clear in view of reports that a special session of the legislature might be called to implement recommendations which the McGillivray commission might considerably in regard to price setting. The price spread board, headed by W. D. King, deputy minister of trade and industry, was set up immediately after the election. Its work was to examine provisions of legislative already in the statutes. The McGillivray commission has been investigating the oil industry, and an official report of that investigation is now being studied by the cabinet.

Now that spring is here we will soon begin to hunt something like this: The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleared of dry grass and rubbish for its time to clean house and the barrels to paint and the fence to mend. Father, dear father, come home to me now, and bring someologna and cheese; it's noon 12 o'clock and there's nothing to eat—I'm so hungry I'm weak in the knees. The clothes must be washed, will be cold scraps and such, and we'll have to eat standing up, too, for the tables and chairs are all littered with stuff. Oh, I wish spring house cleaning was through! Father, dear

father, come home with me now for father, and send us a Turkey; she says you're a 120 lb. bird, and we'll sit pretty to put you to work. That's painting to do, and paper to hang, and windows an casing to scrub, and it's house cleaning t' me, and you have got to come home and rest in beds.

The stores were fairly busy Saturday afternoon being very quiet most of the time owing to the bad condition of the country roads. Many drivers preferred to stay home rather than risk getting stuck in the mud. Even on the main highway traffic was light but since Friday it has increased.

Daylight saving time, which was inaugurated in eastern Canada Sunday, will start in this country Saturday, April 26, and radio time will have to give up to Sunday the news came at an hour that was very convenient to most people since they could get it before starting for work. Now it comes when when most people are starting for a living, consequently news items will have to wait for later hours.

The Agricultural Adjustment Act means that they will be annual stage fair annual celebration on May 24. There will be a display off physical training, baseball and other sports. The day will end with the usual picnic in the evening.

FROM THE FILES OF GLEICHEN CALL TWENTY YEARS AGO

Suppose. Most of the time last month we had more from England, looking fine and amazingly good, met every Saturday night the same boys gave him a real welcome home.

G. T. Jones has the distinction of being the most profitable cropper of oats. He is selling green feed of the finest quality for 10 cents per bushel which is giving him a return of from \$75 to \$100 per acre on his crop. Few men in the country can do as much as he does for his feed as some of his neighbors but he is contented without outperforming at the expense of others.

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Three men who deserve more credit than all others combined. They are L. Michael, W. W. Brown and D. Snively, who took a book of the corporation some months ago.

Just a few people shook their heads and said it was too big an undertaking to furnish and keep financed from month to month.

The work on the new four steel bridge south of Carseland goes on well after a short pause owing to high water.

James Cameron of Swift Current spent a few days in Gleichen on Bank Holiday weekend.

The Citizen's band has moved to dish up "unless the citizens assure us of financial assistance and preference over outsiders in band and orchestra work."

Frank Watson, former proprietor of the Stock Yards Hotel at Calgary, has purchased the Palace Hotel from F. A. McHugh and Sons. At present full information is not available of the deal, but it is stated a good price was paid for the building and contents.

G. T. and F. Scott have taken over J. H. Walls' workshop under the open house.

B. Potash of Calgary, business in town,

On almost every wood pile you find a crooked stick. It will not lie straight, stand straight nor sit straight. It does nothing but to make trouble. It gets in people's road, trips them up, and tears them up. In every group of humans there will find some everything and everybody. They like to say things that make people unhappy about them. It is a disease to be tented and satisfied. Whatever the majority is for, they are against. Are you a crooked stick? If so, straighten out!

THE WEEK IN EDMONTON

(By Dan E. Campbell)

Provincial authorities are hopeful of obtaining \$100,000 for further work on the new vocational training center. The center will be as much like a like camp from provincial centers. Although the dominion launches the scheme in three years, the amount of war may change. It is considered possible that the estimates are passed at the federal house session opening May 16 the exact appropriations will remain unchanged.

Applause from 2,500 spectators was the reward of 500 men at the 47th annual jazz performance in a provincial training project of the dominion-provincial youth training scheme, they gave an excellent exhibition of their prowess. Officially known as the "Jazzmen," the students in dances being formed in all parts of the province. There are now 172 groups in 74 Alberta communities.

University of Alberta will make available to the federal authorities the services of 500 men for use in the construction of new military airports in the west. Leasing instruments is not a matter of policy, but is being done as a small contribution to Canada's war effort. It was a small amount, for training

units across the continent.

University men and women in Alberta numbered 7,397 last week

decrease of 649 from the previous week. Edmontons' men and women

had a record of 2,635 males registered as compar-

atively little change.

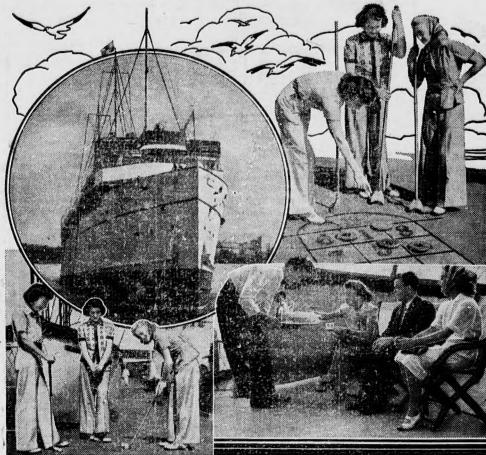
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struction. These cruises from

from June 15 to mid-September is

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from Port McNeill, the ship

glides through beautiful Georgian Bay, past Manitoulin Island, and

Huron, Nipissing and

St. Mary's River, through Sault Ste.

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July 1 to August 26 start from Owen Sound and Port McNeill to Fort William but the route is via the North Inside Channel of Manitoulin Island. Mackinac Island is a popular stop at Mackinac Island is a rich

area of early exploration and fur trading.

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If it ever warms up.

It has been brought to our attention that Com. Jimmie Taylor, of Queenstown, is in a hospital institu-

tion seriously ill. We hope to have word of his improvement soon.

Comrads Ken McPhee M.M. and Bob Stabback are doing improving in the Belches hospital.

Com. Bert Reid, who will carry on as sergeant-at-arms for Com. Bell who joined the Calgary Highlanders, has been quarantined for a week or so

noon and 8 o'clock in the evening.

Everybody welcome.

Hymn Books Provided.

"We are sure that when we come

into you we shall come in the fullness

of the blessing of the gospel of Christ."

Will you not come praying that God may meet with us in great bles-

sing and power?

"Come let us assemble together . . . as ye see fit

my approaching."

"And when this was noised abroad

the multitude came together."

balls.

The chain is made that the war

has speeded up marriages in this

country and many pictures appear

in the papers of the young people

who have come to do the old ball and chain.

The reason does not seem quite clear but we would suggest that it means

Canadians are in favor of a long war,

Lights Out!



Vocational Guidance

Vocational guidance is a topic which has come very much to the fore recently. At meetings of home and school clubs, school boards, service clubs, and other organizations interested in youth development, the discussion of the vocational question now varies. In life, one hears the question of directing the child's efforts in the path which will make him or her most useful and valuable, not only to himself or herself but to society generally after school days are over.

If a system of vocational guidance is to be adopted in conjunction with the educational system, it is necessary that the guidance be based on the child and society. It is essential to the child's latent interests and talents be discovered and noted as early as possible and that he be developed to the maximum extent which the scholastic system will permit. This is for the benefit of the child. For the benefit of society it is likewise necessary that the child be set upon a path which will enable him or her to place his or her talents and interests at the disposal of industry, commerce or the professions to the best advantage.

The purpose of vocational guidance is to bring these two essentials together in the mutual interest of the child and society. If this can be achieved there will be no sequel to round holes in the industrial, commercial and professional fields. In fact, no misfits at all if the plan operates 100 per cent successfully.

It is now generally conceded, not only by educational authorities, but by parents and all who may have given any thought to the subject, that to the young man and the young woman the choice of life's greatest adventure, the profession they may enter can only be helped by vocational guidance. Success if life's work is patterned on youth's most ambitious and, therefore, for which he or she is best fitted by temperament, talent and training. It will take drudgery out of work and bring joy into life. Such a consummation is not only of maximum benefit to the young man or woman but to society, for it is a sine qua non that society will reap the greatest return from the efforts of those who labor, no matter in what sphere or at what stage of progress.

Co-operation Essential

And how is this co-operation to be secured? The co-operation of the parents, the teachers and all educational authorities must be sought and secured. Protagonists of vocational guidance propose that throughout the entire school life a chart of the child's progress be kept. That chart will note his success or otherwise in the various subjects of the public school curriculum. It will be more, however, than a bare statistical record of marks. It will also note the child's temperament in work and play, its attitude towards his or her studies and interests at the disposal of industry, commerce and the professions. There will be nothing compulsory about it, but the information and advice available to the parents and the child should be of inestimable value to all concerned.

Sacrifices Involved

And by the time the high school course is completed—let us assume, commercially or technically—it will be possible to determine with accuracy and with the assistance of the charts and of the guidance officer whether the student is best fitted to immediately take his place in commerce or industry or to go on to university, and if the latter, what university should be attended. And when considered at that stage, toward a choice of life-work, based on the information which the chart reveals, the studies to be taken up in the high school will be selected by the parents and the child in consultation with the vocational guidance officer, who must necessarily have wide knowledge of only child psychology, but also of the business world and many others to discern future trends in industry, commerce and the professions. There will be nothing compulsory about it, but the information and advice available to the parents and the child should be of inestimable value to all concerned.

If this record is conscientiously kept by an observant teacher by the time grade 8 has been reached, it will be possible to determine the direction in which the student should go in his choice of secondary schools and universities and more rapidly, at that stage, toward a choice of life-work.

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It has already been stated that such a measure, to be successful, requires the co-operation of the parents, the teachers and the guidance officer, and of society at large. It will often require enough means and end-sources on the part of the parents. Parents who have decided that their son to be a doctor or lawyer and wear a white collar will be disappointed when presented with irrefutable evidence that he would be almost a total loss in either of these professions but would make a first class blacksmith or machinist. It is infinitely better to be preferred to an indifferent barister or a mediocre doctor; and again, vice versa.

Housing Survey

A survey of housing in Canada will be made in connection with the 1941 census, according to plans at hand, prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics but subject to final approval by the government.

A pygmy hippopotamus full-grown weighs about 450 pounds, in contrast with an ordinary hippo which may weigh 5,000 or 6,000 pounds.

It is not yet known where upstarts a few found in British waters between November and February, go during the rest of the year.

Salt is the mineral most apt to be lacking in feed given to farm animals.

On a clear day, an aviator two miles up can see objects 150 miles away.

Leningrad has a school for female taxicab drivers.

Paying For The War

Governor Of Bank of Canada Says Canadians Must Be Prepared For Sacrifice

Graham F. Towers, governor of the Bank of Canada, told Canadians their sacrifices are still to come, and they must spend their money to buy supplies for ships and airplanes rather than for private purposes.

Addressing the Montreal Canadian Club, Mr. Towers said increased incomes from war activity "must be returned to the state in the form of taxation or subsidies for war loans." In the case of many, a larger percentage of the pre-war income would have to be contributed or lent.

Canadians must provide Canadian dollars to the United Kingdom to enable the mother country to buy supplies from Canada, and they must save enough to repatriate Canadian securities now owned in the United Kingdom.

He said this would be the reply to the claim of the totalitarian states that democracies "can't take it"—in other words, can't afford it.

The people in this country are going to have to think twice before they make expenditures that are not essential. They are going to have to think three times before I do without the article or the service—this cruise or this imported luxury?"

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"We shall only be asked to give up some material things—not our liberty of thought and action," he said.

He said that in operating exchange control every effort had been made to play fair so far as non-residents are concerned. "In effect, what we have done is to ask the foreigner to pay his share of the cost of this country so that we may avoid curtailment of the resources which are needed for the conduct of the war," he said.

Mr. Towers said that those connected with the control board do not under-estimate the inconveniences arising from control, and he expressed appreciation for co-operation which had been shown in this country and in the neighboring countries as well.

"We can assist by repatriation of Canadian securities now owned by citizens of the United Kingdom," he continued. "A start has been made on this programme, the most important single transfer so far as the redemption of the Dominion government 3 per cent loan, now being repaid in the London market in the amount of approximately £20,000,000.

"We are producing materials and supplies which are not being exchanged for other materials and supplies which are not being exchanged for pieces of paper—valuable pieces of paper representing debts we had incurred in past years, or shares of our corporations."

SELECTED RECIPES

FISH LOAF

1½ cups scalmed milt
2½ cups Mrs. Freeman Soda Crackers
4 tablespoons melted butter
1 teaspoon minced parsley
grated rind of 1 lemon
salt and pepper
2 cups cooked fish
2 eggs
Tomato sauce

Pour milk over 1½ cups crumbled cracker and add melted butter and seasonings. Mix with fish and beaten eggs. Sprinkle a well greased loaf pan with flour and butter. Pack fish in mixture and bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) about 30 minutes. Turn out on a platter. Serve with tomato sauce. Six portions.

Cook milt, orange rind, orange juice and Corn Flakes which have been crushed into coarse crumbs. Add to a mixture of melted butter, sugar, salt, pepper and nutmeg (350 degrees F.) about 15 minutes. Remove at once from baking sheet. Yield: 12 cookies (4½ inches in diameter).

ORANGE CRON FLAKE CHews

1½ cups confectioners' sugar
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
1 tablespoon orange juice
3½ cups Kellogg's Corn Flakes
1½ cups coconut
1 teaspoon salt

Crumble milt, orange rind, orange juice and Corn Flakes which have been crushed into coarse crumbs. Add to a mixture of melted butter, sugar, salt, pepper and nutmeg (350 degrees F.) about 15 minutes. Remove at once from baking sheet. Yield: 12 cookies (4½ inches in diameter).

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University Students Have To Provide Large Proportion Of Expenses

The prospect of equality in education, particularly in the field of equal abilities, the generally accepted measure of democracy—becomes more and more remote and university administrators concerned with the increasing costs of education and cultural advancement of the country are increasingly apprehensive, the Dominion bureau of statistics says in its annual review of revenues of Canadian colleges and universities.

Students have been called upon

to provide an increased proportion of the money required to operate universities while other sources of revenue—provincial grants, interest endowments, etc.—are declining relatively at approximately equal rates, the review says, which covers the years from 1921 to 1939, says.

"This is a trend which, unaccom-

panied by any substantial increase in teaching ability, will make financial necessities, rather than intellectual ability, the basic qualification for a university education in Canada."

Students are contributing to financial support of universities and colleges increased from 20.1 per cent, in 1921 to 32.7 in 1939. Government grants decreased from 49.8 to 42.2, endowments from 16.4 to 13.2, while miscellaneous revenue from 3.7 to 11.9.

Discovered By Accident

Chalk Mine In France May Prove Valuable To Building

Colonel T. G. Etherington, the explorer who organized the Houston-Mount Everest flight six years ago, and whose life has been packed with adventure since serving in Kitchener's famous scouts in World War I, has left London for the South of France. A writer in the London Daily Sketch tells the story behind this journey. A short while ago, General Etherington was staying at a Paris hotel near his chateau near Perigueux, when he went out rabbit shooting. A keeper who accompanied him tripped over some rough ground while climbing over a hedge and fell into a hole leading to the opening to an underground tunnel. The colonel became interested, and decided to explore. He discovered the existence of a mine developed in Roman days, deep in chalk cliffs.

General Etherington has been here since. The mine rate, 99 per cent, pure calcium carbonate. Engineers have now been sent both from Paris and from London, and the chalk mine is expected to prove a valuable source of material for building purposes. The mine has gone to help in the work.

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Had Curious Hobby

Lord Fairhaven Owns Hundreds Of Pictures of Windsor Castle

Lord Fairhaven, who has taken on a job of linking up the activities of the Royal Canadian Legion, used to have a curious hobby. This was the collecting of pictures of Windsor Castle. He possesses hundreds of them—postcards, drawings, sketches and even some of them going back for centuries. Another of his treasures is a fine modern tapestry which he commissioned from a master of weaving in Cambridge, and which is now at the Abbey, in Cambridge, England. This contains a picture of the county. Lord Fairhaven, who is a bachelor of 44, was born in London, but left to study law at Oxford, and then went to India, where he became a barrister. After returning to England, he gave Ashridge to the Conservative Party. His mother gave Rannymede to the nation.

This story is from London: A young woman in khaki uniform and cap met a Scotch Celt. She saluted. He curtsied.

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Inspector Elk

The cakeman took the necessary risk and arrived without hurt at the gloomy entrance of police headquarters. Jim Carlton waded a brotherly greeting to the man who had just taken his car two at a time and came to his own little room. As a rule, he was not particularly interested in his personal appearance, but now, glancing over the man's coat which decorated the upturned top of a waistcoat, he uttered a groan.

He was busy getting the grease from his face when the melancholy face of Inspector Elk appeared in the doorway.

"Going to a party?" he asked gloomily.

"No," said Jim through the latter; "I often wear my coat at the moment, especially—*solo*—since you could get a real Havana. Over in New York everybody smokes cigars. But then, they pay the police a living wage, can afford it."

"It's in the inside pocket of my jacket," spluttered Carlton. "Take one, if you want em."

Elk sighed slightly as he took out the long leather case, and, selecting a cigar, lit it.

"Seegars are not what they were when I was a boy," he said. "Now, at the moment, they're *sick*—you could get a real Havana. Over in New York everybody smokes cigars. But then, they pay the police a living wage, can afford it."

Mr. Carlton looked over his towel. "I've never known you to buy a cigar in your life," he said deliberately. "You can't get them cheaper than for nothing!"

Inspector Elk was not offended.

"I've never smoked a cigar in my time," he said. "Over in the public prosecutor's office in Mr. Gordon's days—he was the fellow that smashed the Frogs—him and me, that is to say," he corrected himself, casting a sly glance at Elk.

"The Frogs? Oh, yes, I remember. Mr. Gordon had good cigars, did he?"

"Pretty good," said Elk. "I would have been worse, but it's not better." And then, with a change of voice: "Have you pinched Stratford Harlow?"

Nothing Criminal

Jim Carlton made a grimace of disgust.

"Tell me something I can pinch him with," he invited.

"He's worth \$20,000,000 according to accounts," said Elk. "No man ever gets twenty million honest."

Jim Carlton snatched a white wet face cloth from a compartment.

"He inherited three from his father, two from one aunt, more than two from another. The Harlows have always been a rich family, and the last decade they've graded down to maiden aunts. He had a bachelor uncle in America who left him \$8,000,000."

Elk sighed and scratched his thin nose.

"He's in Ratas, too," he said complainingly.

"Of course he's in Ratas!" scoffed

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Jim—"Ellersbury hides him, but even if he didn't, there's nothing I can do in Ratas. And supposing he was openly in it, that would be no offence."

"Oh," said Elk, and by that "Oh" indicated his tentative disagreement.

There was nothing furtive or underhand about the Rata Syndicate. It was registered as a public company and had its office in Westgate Hall, Old Broad, in the City of London, and its New York office on Wall Street. The Rata Syndicate published a balance sheet and employed a staff of ten clerks, three of whom were girls, and the rest acting as directors of the company, under the chairmanship of a retired colonel of infantry. The capital was a curiously small one, but the resources of the world were behind it. When rats, computes number in 28, checks amounting to 5,000,000 sterling passed outward through its banking accounts; in fact, every cent involved in that great transaction appeared in the bank except the \$50,000 that somebody paid to Lee Herta and his two friends.

Suspicion.

Lee arrived from New York on a Friday afternoon. On the Sunday morning the United International Rubber Company went up in smoke. Nearly 18,000 tons of rubber was destroyed in that well-organized conflagration, and rubber jumped 80 per cent. in 24 hours and 200 per cent. in a week, for the big firms that kept their market had been wiped out in the twinkling of an eye, and the price of the Rata Syndicate, Inc.,

Said the New York headquarters to Sir James Yarwood:

"Lee Herta, Jo Klein and Philip Serrett, well-known firebugs believed to be in London stop See record NY 914 mailed you October 7 1927 for description stop Possibility may connect them United International possibly."

By the time Scotland Yard located Lee he was in Paris in his well-known American gentleman's suit, the sight of which caused a stir.

"He's been buying 'em for months. Did they know that the United International was west?"

"I thought it must have been an accident," said Jim, who had never thought anything of the sort.

"Accident my grandmother's right foot," said Elk, with a heavy sigh. "The toe is broken in the heel. The savage people located the petrel. A man answering the description of Jo Klein was drinking with the night watchman the day before, and that was the last time he'd never seen her. Jo had been the best-looking girl in the lower classes, less easier than they drink. Ten millions, and Harlow's behind her. He made no mistake in the court of London, Rio, Calcutta—every loose bit of rubber lifted off the market. Then comes the fit and up she goes! All I can say is—"

The telephone rang shrilly at the entrance, and Jim Carlton picked up the instrument from the table.

"Somebody wants you, Inspector," said the exchange clerk.

There was a click, an interval of silence, and then a troubled voice said:

"Can I speak to Mr. Carlton?"

"Yes, Miss Rivers."

"Oh, it's you, is it?" There was a faint, strained, uncertain voice. "I wonder if you would come to Fotheringhay Mansions No. 63?"

"Is anything wrong?" he asked quickly.

"I don't know, but one of the bedrooms doors is locked, and I'm sure there's somebody in there."

CHAPTER III.

The girl was standing in the open doorway of the flat as the two men stepped from the elevator. She seemed a little disconcerted at the sight of Inspector Elk, but Jim Carlton, accustomed to his friend and delighted him as a factor with one comprehensive smile.

"I suppose I ought to have sent for the police, only there are—well, there are certain reasons why I didn't," she said.

Showhow Jim had never thought she could be so agitated. The discovery had evidently thrown her off her balance, and she was hardly used to it.

"I've come here to collect my uncle's letters," she said. "He's abroad *** his name is Jackson," she said breathlessly. "And every Thursday I have two hours in to clean up the flat after the time I'm working in an office."

They had left Elk staring at an engraving in the corridor, and it

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This is not the first time Mr. Duncan has served King and Country. He enlisted as a gunner in the Royal Artillery at Portsmouth, England, in the Great War, and won his commission as second lieutenant. He was promoted to captain and advanced to the rank of major in the Royal Field Artillery.

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At almost every neutral port that we visited, there were to be seen from one to half a dozen German freight ships tied up at remote wharfs, or anchored in back bays, the officers looking out over the water, waiting out their hearts, in desolate despair, and literally consuming their cargo, week by week, for part of their freight and supplies, so as to be able to pay for anchorage and wharfage dues, and in order to buy food for the German crews.

Every person who lived in these several foreign countries that I visited seemed to have his own idea of what he could do for the war, and the thought struck me, in addition, how fortunate we were, in Canada, that our agricultural and other products could move out in comparative safety to the markets of the world, under the protection of this sure shield—the British navy.

Our western prairies we all know very well, and adapt so too, about 90 per cent wheat. In other parts of the country they are equally concerned about the export of fish, fruit, nickel, copper, lead, pulpwood, paper and other goods and products.

This is one kind of export, however, that we do not speak very much about, and which I for one believe with all my heart basically governs the quantity of all those products we can export, from which we make a living. The exact to which I have reference to is that of Simple Human Goodwill.

My reading of history convinces me at all events that many wars might have been avoided if certain nations had shown a little more consideration for those who live in other countries. In other words if we could first export Good will, then we could then think of the production of other products would follow.

But the goodwill to which I refer is only sentimental; it means fundamentally that we should do nothing to help ourselves, at the same time the plans or policies proposed bring suffering upon people who live in other countries.

ODD ACCIDENTS

Equally ironical was the case of Miss Marjorie Volke, of Tuscan Arise. A traffic ticket cost her \$50. She had just gone to town driving her car from a shopping tour, she noticed as she drove off that a parking ticket had been stuck under the windshield wiper. She stopped to check the window for a lot of time, but her car was so far away from the hydrant, her dog ran across a fire hydrant, broke it off and released a geyser. The bill for the hydrant was \$50.

Mr. and Mrs. Guerton Worth, of Cochrane, like most decent parents, extremely careful what their baby daughter, Joanne, ate. So when Joanne indicated gastronomic distress they were perplexed. At the hospital doctors went to work with bronchoscopes and endoscopes, but found nothing except four tiny pins, two pearl buttons, two celluloid hair clips, a metal clip and a celluloid stick pin. They are keeping her away from jewelry counters.

JOHN C. BUCKLEY convenes.

Might I draw the attention of young readers to the notice in your paper re the visit of Mr. Maxwell and his sweet singers of the Gospel for one day May 10th. Many heard them formerly on CFCH on Sunday evenings, and the next CFAC 9 to 10 Sunday mornings.

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